





# Capitol Hill Hears Earnest Request

## Senate Chaplain Marshall Offers Challenging Prayer

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WASHINGTON. — Many words spoken beneath the high-arched dome of the capitol become first page news. But seldom quoted are the words which appear beginning with the third paragraph of the first page of the Congressional Record. However, recently they were quoted — a d widely. They were preceded by two first paragraphs which for the past 10 years have varied only as to the proper names and hour men-



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tioned therein:

"The senate met at 11 o'clock a. m. on the expiration of the recess."

"The chaplain, Rev. Peter Marshall, D. D., offered the following prayer:"

(Then came "paragraph three," including the part of the prayer offered for that day that appealed to me):

"Forbid it, Lord, that we should walk through thy beautiful world with unseeing eyes. Forgive us, our Father, for taking our good things for granted, so that we are in danger of losing the fine art of appreciation. With such dire need in every other part of the world, make us so grateful for the bounties we enjoy that we shall try, by Thy help, to deserve them in re. Where we are wrong, make us willing to change, and where we are right, make us easy to live with."

I repeated that last paragraph on my broadcast because one of my associates had called it to my attention that morning. Since then I have been getting letters from all over the country asking for copies of that prayer. Earlier (though I had not noticed the item) Time magazine had carried a story about Chaplain Marshall, and Newsweek magazine had quoted part of another prayer:

"Help us to do our very best this day and be content with today's troubles, so that we shall not borrow the troubles of tomorrow. Save us from the sin of worrying, lest stomach ulcers be the badge of our lack of faith. Amen."

I think my choice is a fair sample of Marshallism. But in the recollections reveal the characteristic of the doctor's utterances, which perhaps is a reason for his popularity. He is able to reduce religion to the simplest and most understandable terms. His similes take those of his Teachers are taken out of our daily life.

Peter Marshall is an interesting person as well as a popular preacher.

### Immigrant Boy Fulfills Ambition

Dr. Marshall's personal history is reminiscent of early Hiram Alger. He came to this country from a foreign land because he believed America was the land of opportunity. But his story is unique in this. He came not with the dream of "making his fortune" but to fulfill an ambition for neither wealth nor power, but simply to get a theological education.

He was born in Coatbridge in Lanarkshire, Scotland. His father died when he was little, and Marshall was raised by his mother and stepfather, who sent him to public school and later to a technical institution. On graduation, he took a position in a job-manufacturing concern.

But he wanted to be a minister, and he decided it would be easier to obtain an education for this calling in the United States. He came to this country in his early twenties, found work in New Jersey, but soon had an opportunity to go to Alabama where he joined the business department of the Birmingham News. With the help of some friends who became interested in this pleasant Scottish boy with the intriguing burr and the inspired goal, he was able to enter Columbia Theological seminary, from which he was graduated in 1931.

He held two pastorate in Georgia, and made the acquaintance of the young lady who is now his wife. In 1937, he was called to the historic "Church of the Presidents" in Washington, a church which has numbered among its worshippers John Quincy Adams, Andrew Jackson, William Henry Harrison, James Buchanan, Andrew Johnson, Millard Fillmore, Grover Cleveland, Theodore Roosevelt and Abraham Lincoln, whose pew, left as it was when he used it, is a shrine for tourists.

Dr. Marshall was elected chaplain of the senate on January 6 of this

year, and it might be well to record a bit of recent history as a background to his selection.

Dr. Ze Barney Phillips was chaplain of the senate for 15 years—from 1927 to 1942. When he died, many senators had favorite candidates for his job. They "auditioned" them, just like radio announcers—although the ministers didn't know they were being auditioned, and no senator would admit such a thing.

From among the candidates, Dr. Frederick Brown Harris, Methodist, emerged victorious, gossip says, because he delivered the shortest prayer. Later on Dr. Harris' prayers became longer, a common phenomenon among senate chaplains according to some of the old timers in congress. What they don't add is that in the speech-making body in the country, the affliction may be contagious.

Traditionally, filling of the chaplain's post is a majority party pre-



The Rev. Peter Marshall, D.D., senate chaplain, offered a prayer that probed deep into the consciousness of the nation's busy, harassed legislators.

rogative, and so when the Republican 80th congress convened, after disposing of the question of Senator Bilbo's qualifications, Senator Wherry arose to offer a resolution that Dr. Marshall be elected chaplain of the senate.

But Wherry's proposal touched off an argument occupying nine close-typed columns in the Congressional Record. (No chaplain would dare deliver a sermon THAT long.)

Democratic Sen. Alben Barkley maintained that Dr. Harris had done a fine job and should be retained. He added that politics should not be permitted to touch the office of senate chaplain. He asked that Republicans were "offering a very poor example for the time when the Democrats resume control of the body two years from now." (1948—1949?)

Republican Senator Bridges was shocked at the implication that politics might be involved. Why, he protested, he didn't even know Dr. Marshall's politics.

But the Republicans had their majority. Dr. Marshall got the job, and as far as I can learn, nobody has regretted the choice.

There are some Washingtonians who have read and listened to this Scottish boy whom America has awarded for achievement in a calling in which there are often few earthly awards, who feel that his presence in the Lincoln church is quite as "appropriate" as his appointment as chaplain of the senate. They feel that if the ghost of the Great Emancipator ever slips into his old pew of a Sunday, he smiles in approval of the simple, earthy, trusting, not too unlike his own, which came down from one pupil to that friendly Scottish burr, with the same terse impact with which they echo from the restraint of the senate.

### SLIM CHANCE

## Survey Indicates No Depression

WASHINGTON. — Chances of a depression in the near future appear slim, in the opinion of a committee of congressmen studying the nation's economy.

In its report, the joint senate-house economic committee disclosed that most of the 533 persons who answered a survey expect a "mild recession" this fall. The committee concluded, however, that "answers to the economic questions do not give any real support to the theory that we are nearing a depression."

The survey showed "general



THREE YEARS AFTER DESTRUCTION . . . It has been just three years since American and Allied troops stormed the beaches of Normandy D-Day to begin the invasion of Europe. Streets like this one in Caen, France, raged with bullets and mortar shells, and it would have been impossible then for a little girl to walk along the sidewalk carrying bread for the family's dinner. But now the war looks far away.

### NEWS REVIEW

## Shipping Crisis Impends; Predict High Feed Prices

Fears of a minor crisis in railway shipping in mid-July have been expressed by federal transportation experts in view of an apparent slowdown in freight car construction.

Contributing factors are mounting industrial production coupled with increasingly heavy wheat export movements, and officials predict that the "crisis" could develop into a major transportation block unless steps are taken to ease the traffic slowdown or prevent it from occurring.

With fate of the now financially embarrassed Office of Defense Transportation still undecided, the Interstate Commerce commission has been requested to assume full responsibility for continuing orders requiring full loading of boxcars in the event that congress does not extend the life of ODT beyond its June 30 expiration date.

Meantime, ODT has sent investigators to freight car building companies to probe reports that allocated steel tonnages have not gone entirely into the 10,000-a-month car construction program.

Reports for the first half of May indicated that only 1,751 freight cars were built, 51 short of the number constructed during the corresponding period in April. Explanation offered by the car builders is that inadequate steel supplies and strikes within the industry have been responsible for the grave decline in freight car construction. That view, however, is discounted by federal officials who point out that the government forced the steel industry to provide the necessary 220,000 tons of steel for the 10,000-a-month goal.

### FEED PRICES:

#### To Stay Up

Prospects for the 1947 feed crops will be an important influence on feed prices, according to a department of agriculture report.

The very strong foreign demand for grain is expected to continue to support prices through 1947 and into 1948, although if production of feed is as large as in recent years, feed prices probably will decline, at least seasonally, in the last half of 1947.

Corn prices this summer, the report predicted, will average higher than the June, 1946, ceilings, but lower than in the summer of 1946 after price controls lapsed.

The department's survey went on to reveal that reports in early May

indicated that approximately 832 million bushels of 1946 corn would be marketed this season. That figure would be 50 per cent greater than the 1938-42 average and 14 per cent above the previous record sales from the 1944 crop. Farm sales of other feed grains from 1946 crops also ran generally larger.

### SWINGBACK:

#### Braden Quits

Spruille Braden, longtime advocate of and principal force behind this country's hard-headed attitude toward Fascist-inclined Argentina, has resigned as assistant secretary of state in charge of Latin-American affairs.

To succeed him in that post, President Truman was expected to nominate Norman Armour of New Jersey, top-flight career diplomat. Armour previously served as American envoy in the Argentine and is well known and liked there. Latin-American reaction to his appointment was expected to be highly favorable.

Acceptance of Braden's resignation by President Truman was generally regarded as a strong implication that the United States is ready to swing back to a policy of appeasement in Latin America. It was anticipated that the changed attitude would take the form of "just a little appeasement" of Latin-American Fascist dictators, particularly Juan D. Peron, president of Argentina.

Braden, long a foe of Peron and his methods, told Mr. Truman in a letter that personal responsibilities compelled him to return to private business.

Departure of Braden from the state department followed closely on the heels of his being overruled by the administration on two basic issues to Latin-American relations: Supplying of arms to Latin-American nations and formation of a military alliance with other republics in the western hemisphere.



Armour



Braden



PLAUDITS FOR THE CHAMP . . . Mauri Rose, winner of the 31st annual 500-mile automobile race at the Indianapolis motor speedway, receives greetings from movie star Carole Landis and a few thousand other fans as he steps from the sleek racer in which he hurtled to victory. His average speed over the 500-mile course was 116.338 miles an hour, and his share of the prize money totaled \$20,000.



BACK TO THE LAND . . . Wearing the costumes of Russian peasants, these three persons are typical of the "Dookhobor" religious group of 70 which has purchased 140 acres of land amid the wilderness of Vancouver Island, British Columbia. Following a doctrine of "utter love," they are attempting to found a colony managed on a communal, share-all basis with simple peasant austerity.



ARMY'S FOOTBALL GREATS . . . The backfield stars of Army's great 1946 football team are shown as they paraded at the United States Military Academy at West Point to receive top athletic awards. Left to right are Glenn Davis, Felix ("Doc") Blanchard and Arnold Tucker—halfback, fullback and quarterback, respectively. They are now ready for duty as second lieutenants.



BEREKANE TO AN ALLIGATOR . . . Robert Mullerman, keeper at the Brookfield, Ill., zoo, blows a D-flat two cellos below middle C on his French horn in the forlorn hope that it will incite this baneful mate alligator to give with a misting bellow. Mullerman failed, but a quartet of French horn masters did the trick.







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### EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Rodney Howe, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Victor Marquis and Mr and Mrs Gerry Marquis and daughter of Auburn were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs R. D. Newton.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Bartlett and children of Rumford and Mr and Mrs Lorton Hutchins and children of Bethel were guests of Mr and Mrs Guy Bartlett on Sunday.

Marilyn Noyes came home from the U of M last Wednesday. Mr and Mrs Lester Coolidge and children of Northwest Bethel were callers at Edgar Coolidge's Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Bernard Bartlett of Grand are at the home of J. C. Bartlett.

Eugene Burns, Lewis Smith Jr., Clark Bartlett, Edward Hastings, Robert Curtis, Warren Hastings, Harley, Lee and Freeman Merrill and Richard Kimball climbed Mt. Spec Saturday and are camping out up there.

Mrs Florence Hastings and children and Mrs Doris Houle were in South Paris Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Hanson Olson and daughter moved their household goods from Newry to the home of Willie Bartlett Sunday.

Mr and Mrs S. D. Newton, Carlene Dorey and Mary Coolidge were in Andover Sunday evening. Malcolm Farwell, Mrs. O. D. Farwell and Virginia Hastings were in

Caratunk Friday to get Deborah Farwell, who has been teaching there.

Ruth Donahue of Bethel was a guest of Mary Alice Hastings several days last week.

The pupils of the school here enjoyed a picnic supper Friday at the picnic grounds at Locke Mills and attended the movies.

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modeling the building. Round

Mountain Grange held their

regular meeting, Monday evening,

June 16th, with 17 members and

three visitors present. Supper con-

sisting of mashed potatoes, chop-

steak, bread, butter, cake, cookies,

pie, and coffee was served at 7:30.

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## UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent

Miss Louella Lacombe of Berlin, N. H., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Annie Coolidge.

Miss Doris Coolidge and Lyman Burke of Burlington, Vt., spent the week-end at Annie M. Coolidge's.

Miss Lois Hathaway of Bryant Pond is working for Mrs. C. A. Judkins.

Miss Alice Hathaway of Bryant Pond is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred S. Judkins, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher (nee Mary Elizabeth Burnham) of Rochester, N. Y., are spending their honeymoon here at her father's cottage on Lake Umbagog.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Shaw of Livermore Falls recently spent their honeymoon at Birch Point Camps.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Judkins and family of Bethel called on Mrs. Bertha Judkins Sunday.

Agnes Angevine is working at the Lake House.

Helen Angevine spent the week-end with her brother, Avery Angevine, and family in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Angevine and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Angevine and family of Bethel spent Sunday at John Angevine's.

Clara and Burley Hammond of Colebrook, N. H., called on their aunt, Mrs. Gladys Angevine, Sunday.

Several parties from Rumford were in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Colcord and two friends of Exeter, N. H., are staying at Hayes' Camp this week.

Mrs. Alvin Averill of Andover has been spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Merna Allen.

Merna returned to Andover with her Sunday.

Mrs. Muriel Heywood of Worcester, Mass., spent a few days this week at her summer home.

Lila Barnett held a Stanley brush party at her home a short time ago.

The annual church meeting was held at the home of C. A. Judkins Tuesday evening this week. Officers were elected.

The Ladies' Aid held the first meeting of the season Tuesday evening this week.

Orlando Fraser observed his fourth birthday Monday, June 16. Besides himself, his brother, Richard, and his mother, Mrs. Donald Fraser, those present were Mrs. Helen Fuller and son Stanley, Mrs. Bertha Lombard and daughter Edith, and Mrs. Esther Williamson.

## LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Lee Mills, Correspondent

The Community Club met Thursday evening, June 12, at the home of Mrs. Florence Rand.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lapham of Rumford were calling on relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Ring and family of Biddeford were here over the week-end. Kenneth and Alan Ring remained to visit their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ring, Delwin Long and Hugh Swan accompanied the Rings home.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Robinson has been named Dale Kinball.

Mrs. Ida Rowe, who has employment at the Mallory Farms at Farmington, visited here Wednesday.

last week.

Miss Nellie Lapham is doing clerical work at the Lewiston Hardware Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Packard and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacobs of Portland called at James Ring's Sunday.

Reginald Roberts of Saugus, Mass., visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Noyes of Lewiston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Noyes, recently.

The following attended the Woodstock High Alumni banquet at Bryant Pond Thursday evening: Mrs. Mary Andrews, Mrs. Rowena Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham, Mrs. Hazel Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett, and Mrs. Mary Mills.

Miss Lella Swan was at Lewiston Monday.

Mrs. George Lister has returned to her home after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. George Ramsdell, at Drexel Hill, Pa.

## ROWE HILL

Mrs. Margaret Bryant, Cor.

Mrs. Clarence Ring and son Rodney were at Mrs. Margaret Bryant's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ring and son Rodney also daughters Norine and Shirley were callers at Wilmer Bryant's Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey of Bryant Pond were at her father's, Osman Palmer's Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Sumner and baby were at Osman Palmer's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring attended the Tubbs School reunion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom went to Newry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dunham of Locke Mills called on Mrs. Margaret Bryant Sunday evening.

Wilmer Bryant was in Locke Mills Sunday morning.

## GROVER HILL

Mrs. N. A. Stearns, Correspondent

Saturday and Sunday guests at C. L. Whitman's were Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogers of South Waterford and Winfield Whitman and family from Bartlett, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward King (Madelyn Waterhouse) and four children from Jefferson, N. H. were recent visitors at C. N. Waterhouse's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grace and children have been spending a week in Portsmouth, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mundt entertained in Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills and family and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mundt and daughter from Bethel Village.

Lewis Spinney and bride from California were guests of Mr. Spinney's aunt, Mrs. F. A. Mundt, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich were in Portsmouth a few days early last week.

Mrs. M. F. Tyler of Bethel Hill was a guest last week of Mrs. Clyde Whitman.

Mrs. J. H. Trifethen went June 7 to spend the summer in Portsmouth, N. H. and Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Everett Bean and daughter Connie went Tuesday to visit relatives in Vermont for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnel R. Brown and son Arnel K. were at their summer home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard, Main Street, Bethel, were in the neighborhood one day last week.



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Bunk Beds ..... \$11.75

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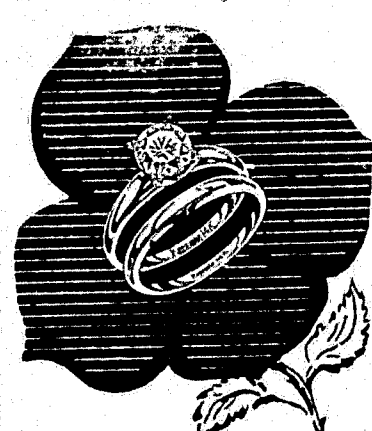
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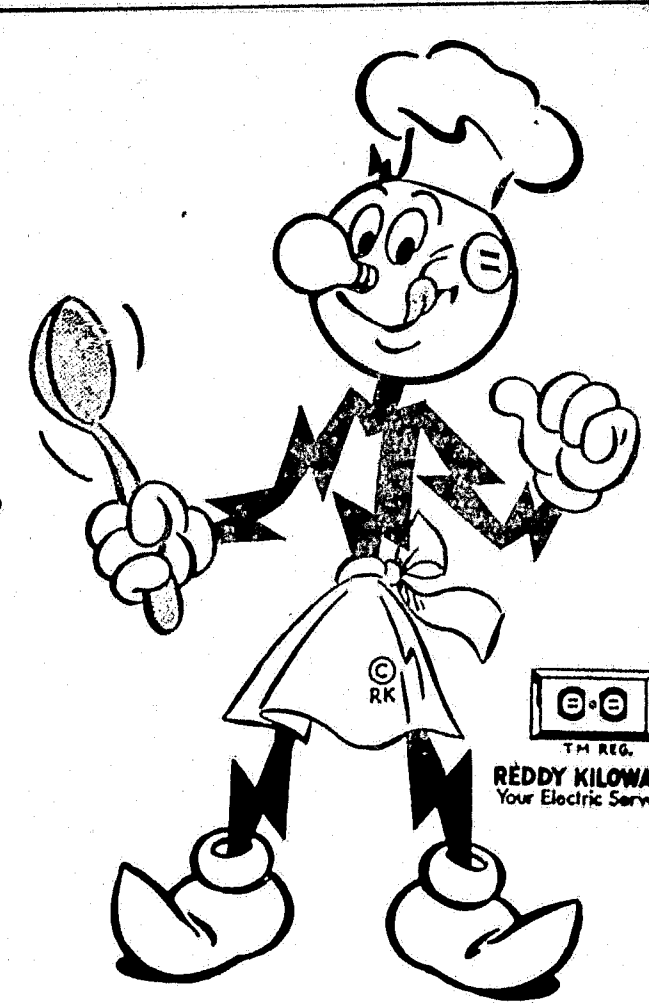
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# The Fiction Corner

## PERFECT STRANGER

By JACK MOSHER

THE first thing Cella Brandon noticed about him was the way he sat. As if, she thought, studying the man at the corner table across the top of her menu, he had been propped up in his chair and was likely, at any minute, to go sliding off on the floor.

"Does he come in often?"

"Yes-a, Miss," said her waiter. "Every night this-a week, he come. But he does not eat. He just-a sit and sit."

Cella examined her find more closely. Saw that his skin was stretched altogether too tightly across his high cheekbones for him to be in good health.

And his hair was graying much too rapidly, and his clothes were much too shabby for Garibaldi's, which was on 52nd just around the corner from the theatre district—a place where only the famous could afford to be shabby and where the really shabby rarely came.

### This Week's Best Fiction

"Perhaps," she said, "he hasn't the price of a meal."

"Then why does he come?"

The waiter's attitude, Cella felt, was a coldly commercial one. The way most folks with something to sell looked upon those who had no money to buy. And determined to put the waiter in his place, she said, "I thought his face was familiar. Yes, of course! It's Freddy Malone."

"Tell him," she said, "that I'd like him to join me."

"Yes-a, Miss!"

For a moment after the waiter had delivered this invitation uncertainly marked the man's lean features. There was a frightened expression in his deep-set eyes as they met hers. But when Cella countered with just the right degree of warmth in her own—the degree one would extend to a man friend not seen in many years yet warmly remembered—he rose and came toward her table.

He walked unsteadily and she wondered if he might be intoxicated. If that explained his propped-up appearance of a moment ago. Then he was alongside, bowing just a little from the waist, and she was saying, "It's so good to see you again, Fred."

"Yes, isn't it," he said. "Thanks for asking me over."

His tones made her feel that he was hungry. It was as if every word he spoke was scraped from the walls of his stomach, left some mark. And now that he was closer she could not mistake the suffering which lined his face. It was the kind that comes to those who find themselves alone in the world's largest city when dark closes in.

More than food, she felt certain, was needed here. He needed good cheer. Someone to talk with. To make the joke with. To cry with. Someone who would supply the



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things people needed so badly here in New York during the long, long months of waiting for a break that sometimes never came.

"How about a coke?" she said.

"A pepper-upper, as they say."

He turned to the waiter, chuckling miraculously.

"A pepper-upper," he ordered, "for the lady."

Then, when the waiter had gone off and leaning closer across the white tablecloth, "Look! It's nice of you. Having me like this, I mean. But I can't accept."

"Forget it," Cella said, trying her utmost to spare him. "I don't know about you, but I'm hungry. Let's concentrate on dinner."

"Yes, of course. The dinner."

"How about some sea food?"

"Not for me." He made a wry face. "I've just come from there. Maybe you took notice of my roll."

"I wondered what it was."

"It's the genuine article," he assured her. "A Clyde-Mallory Line freighter just brought me back from the Far East. . . . You see, I hurried on as if he had just so much time in which to tell it. 'I struck it tough in Singapore. Went out there to work for a big oil company. It wasn't so big, because it folded a few weeks after I arrived. I was on the bench three months, broke to the wide, before I got this chance to work my way home.'"

"Forget that now," Cella said, judging from his tones that every word must be an effort for him. "This Spaghetti Italiane sounds mighty good to me."

"But I can't forget," he insisted. "And I think you should hear me out. Have you ever," he demanded, while Cella could find not a word with which to check him, "known what it is to be hungry, to starve?"

"Did you ever go for days with nothing but what black servants hand out at kitchen doors? Do you

know what it feels like to be. . . ."

"I can well imagine," Cella interrupted, more firmly this time. "I've heard New York is no different than Singapore if it comes to that. But let's get on with ordering now, eh?"

"Yes, of course. Ordering."

He sounded the least bit let down. As if he were offended by her apparent lack of interest in his story.

But he bucked up as the meal progressed from soup through Spaghetti Italiane with meat sauce, as only Garibaldi's can make it, to dessert. He grew quite genial and mellow, in fact.

"I must see more of you," he said. "You do me good."

"We do each other good, you mean."

"That's it!" He was an enthusiastic as a school boy attending his first grown-up date.

"I could get a job in Mexico. There's a fellow—"

"But why not try here in New York?"

"In an office?"

"Not necessarily."

"Then what?"

"Had you ever thought of acting?"

Cella said as the waiter returned with a small silver tray containing a half dollar and three thin dimes.

"You know what they say? If you can't make a go of anything else you're sure to click on the stage. And it seems to me," she added, making a fine show of waving the waiter and the eighty cents away, "that with the experience you've had knocking around the world you could put a lot of punch into play-acting."

He smiled broadly.

"Maybe you're right. In fact, I know you're right."

"What do you mean?"

"Simply," he told her, "that I AM stage. I've just been putting on an act here. Rehearsing for my new play. . . . I need a girl to play opposite me. She's rich as all get out. Money doesn't mean a thing to her. That's exactly the kind of girl you are in real life. So how about coming around in the morning to sign a contract? I'm Noel Howard."

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11 Powerful foe of the Philistines

12 He brought Jenny Lind to America

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15 Lichen

17 Departed

18 Netherlands commune

20 To pretend

23 To perform

24 Concomitant, southwestern lizard

26 Game fish

28 Teutonic deity

29 Extract

31 Longitudinal

33 David Copperfield's wife

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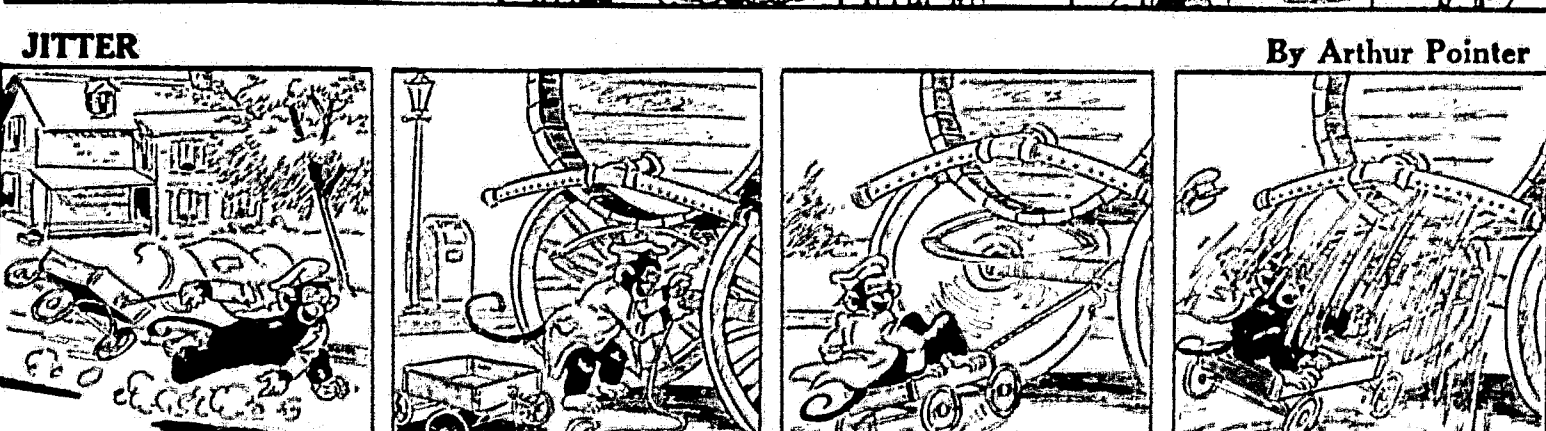
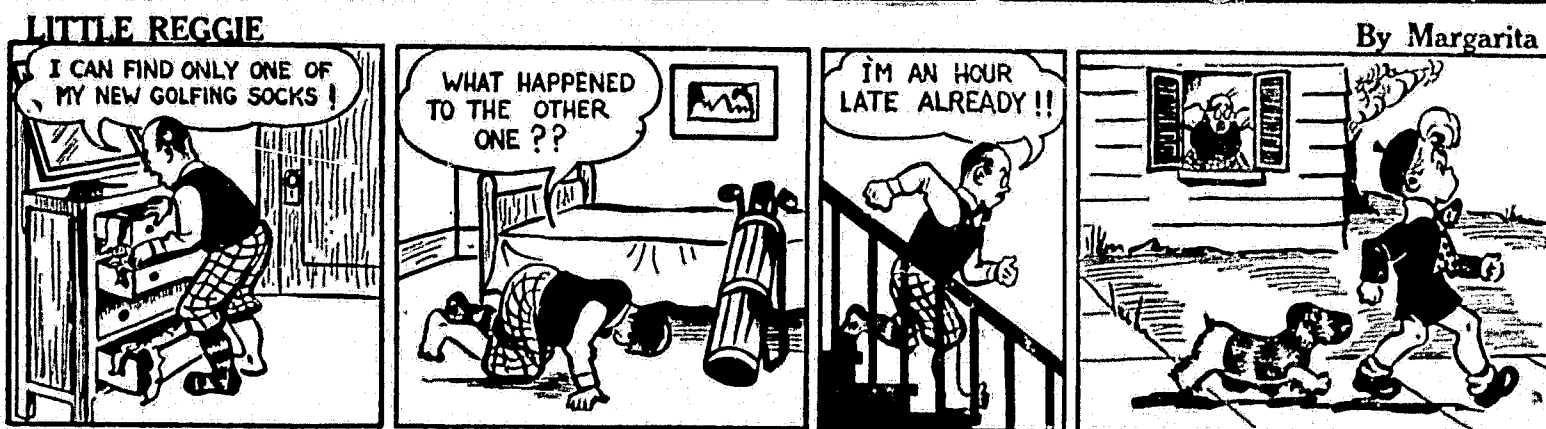
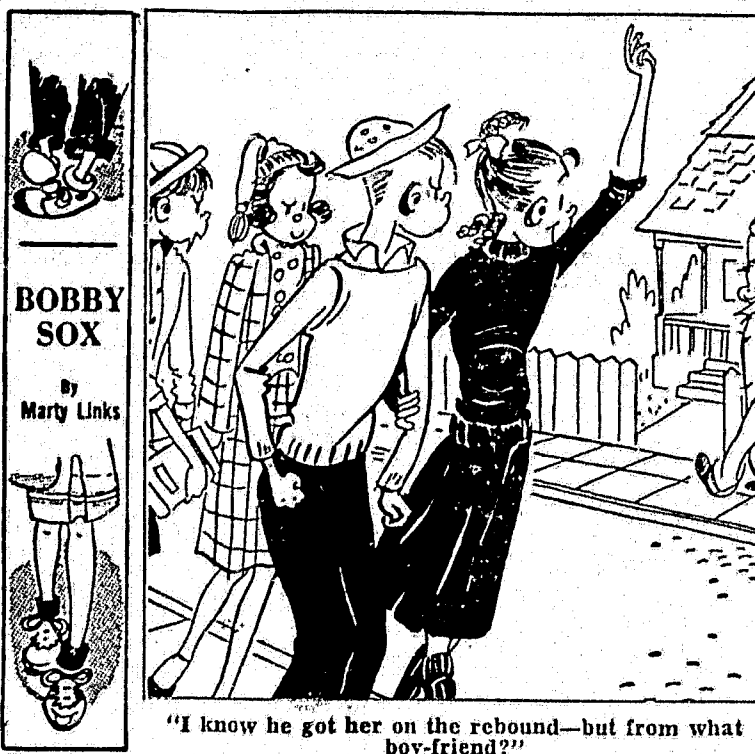
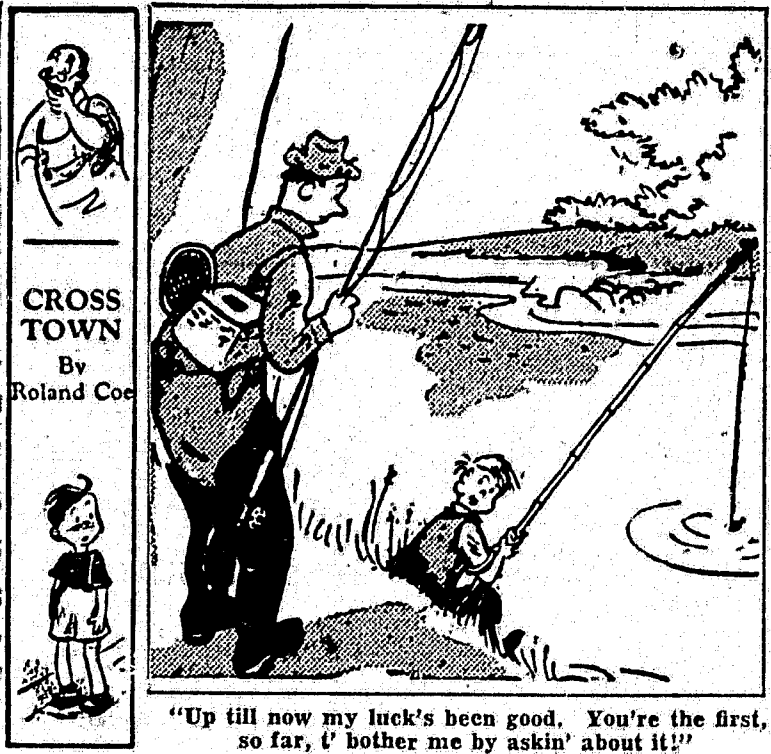
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On stormy days confusion is greatly diminished when looking for rubbers if mates are attached with snap clothespins which are labeled with the names of the owners.

Use an electric fan to dry your liquid stockings. While smoothing the film on your legs, let the direct breezes from a fan speed drying.

It is time to change your mind if you're one of those who think all furniture in your best room should match piece for piece. The smartest and most comfortable rooms we've seen were rooms with mixed furniture -- mixed with taste. You need not have all "period pieces" or all modern to get a good effect. Blond and dark pieces go together very well and you may, for example, have a practical, functional table next to your old wing chair.

Grind small pieces of toilet soap in a food grinder for use in your dish pan. It makes lots of suds and is easy on your hands too.

If you sew the buttonholes of coat sweaters together before washing, they will not stretch.

An effective method for cleaning copper, brass or pewter is making a paste of equal parts of salt, flour and vinegar. Apply the paste, let stand for an hour, rub off, wash with water, and polish.

A box of stationery with a three-cent stamp on each envelope makes a nice gift for a friend in the hospital.

After you have washed your sweater, press it when it is almost dry. Lay it smoothly on the ironing board, placing a cloth over it. Use a warm iron and press lightly, then allow sweater to lie flat on a towel to finish drying.

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**FOR SALE**—Registered Beagle Pup, NORMAN DUCK, Bethel, 25p.

**FOR SALE**—Five Burner Oil stove with built in oven. Perfect condition. Also large white kitchen cabinet. Inquire: RUPERT L. FAIRBANK, Bryant Pond, Maine, 25p.

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**FOR SALE**—State Inspected Toward 17's Strawberry Plants, 25 for \$1.00, 50 for \$1.50, 100 for \$2.50. If sent by parcel post add 10c per hundred. Everbearing Maa-4000 15 per hundred. Pick ripe strawberries this fall. Cash with order. MARJORIE BROOKS, Pownall, Maine, 25p.

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**FOR SALE**—Used Our Clarion cook stove, complete with oil burner, water coil and water tank attachment. Also 20 gallon galvanized hot water tank. HASTINGS ELMS, Phone 29-4, 151p.

### WANTED

**WANTED**—A copy of the Centennial Edition of The Bethel News June 10, 1896. CITIZEN OFFICE, 510 Main Street, Bethel, 251p.

### HELP WANTED

**BUSINESS MINDED MEN** wanted to supply rural families with D. T. Insecticides, insect traps, fly spray, mineral feeds along with complete household requirements. Working men will back the right man who owns a car. Earnings steady and good, no layoffs or pay slashes. Write E. A. Drach, Box 307, Newark, N. J., 25p.

**WANTED**—Woman Sales Representative. You can build a permanent year around business selling nationally advertised telephones, drapes, sheets, pillowcases and table linens in your locality. Selling experience and energy are required. Samples furnished without charge. Write to: "The People's Service", 1000 North Avenue, Augusta, Maine, 25p.

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**FOUND**—Woman's Handbag on West Street. If owner may have it, please call on the address listed. NORMAN DUCK, 251p.

**LAWNS MOWED, BICYCLES REPAIRED** by DAVID KNEELAND, Phone 29-4, 241p.

**FIREARMS**, New and Used, Bought, Sold or Exchanged by H. L. HEAN, Fur Buyer, Spring St., Bethel, Maine, 111p.

**SELLING YOUR PROPERTY?** Have prospective buyers for all types of property. For prompt, efficient service, call, write or see HOMER HAMILIN, Gorham, New Hampshire, 11p.

**CUSTOM PLANING**—Large or small quantities. PORTER PRODUCTS CO., Locke's Mills, Maine, 61p.

Leave Shoes at Chamberlin's Store for repair and clothes to clean Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. EXCEL CLEANERS AND DYERS INC. Auburn, Maine, 411p.

**LEAVE SHOES AT EARL BAYNE** for repair. RICHARD BROWN BROS., Gorham, N. H., 491p.

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## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister

Church School 9:45 a. m.

Morning Worship 11:00

Adult Class 12:00

The Church School will continue to meet during the summer months at the regular hour. The program, however, will be modified according to the number of pupils.

The children of the Church School are to attend the movie, "Melody Comes to Town," and enjoy refreshments afterwards in the Chapel, Wednesday, June 26th. Children will meet at the Chapel at 7 p. m. Short subjects will include "African Pygmy Thrills," "Three Little Bunnies" and "Circus Winter Quarters."

The F and A M Lodge, No. 97, will attend the service of Morning Worship, Sunday, in a body.

### METHODIST CHURCH

William Penner, Pastor

9:45 Church School. Miss Minnie Wilson, superintendent.

11:00 Morning worship service. Sermon theme: "World's Need for Spiritual Foundation."

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday Services at 10:45 A. M.

All are cordially invited to attend. "In the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 22.

### ST. BARNABAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rumford

Rev. F. C. Lighthorn, Tel. 1029-M

Service every Sunday until September 22.

9:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist, hymns and sermon.

### WEST GREENWOOD

Alden Wilson has purchased a new Studolake truck.

Mrs. Amy Bunker attended a poultry meeting at Mechanic Falls Wednesday evening.

Rodney Williams and Mr. and Mrs. George Williams of Rumford have moved to 13 B. Chapman's camp on the Rabbit Road. The men are working for him in the woods.

Mrs. George Williams is visiting her aunt in Norway.

Miss Wilma Croteau is working at the girls' dormitory in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wilson and family were in Lewiston Monday on business.

Miss Gloria Wilson and brother Stanley spent Tuesday with their grandmother, Mrs. Sophie Conner at West Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lowell and daughter called at Alden Wilson's Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock of West Bethel were callers in this vicinity recently.

Mr. Z. W. Mills has been ill, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Emma Martin and daughter and Leland Mills of Harrison called.

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## MIDDLE INTERVALE

**Mrs. Augustus Carter, Correspondent**

Robert Kirk is wiring Richard Carter's house for electricity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carter attend the graduation exercises at Gould Academy, Monday of last week.

Prof. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball of Lewiston were at their home here over the week end.

Walter Grover is wiring Edward Carter's house for electricity.

Ann Carter was given a birthday party by her mother, Mrs. Augustus Carter, Thursday on her sixth birthday. Refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream was served.

Ann received many nice gifts. Those present were: Jean and Bobby Sheppard, Beverly and Richard O'neill, Alvin and Ruth Stevens, Sharon and Donald Nowlin, Tommy and Timmy Carter, and the guest of honor, Ann Carter.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

**Mrs. C. James Knights, Cor.**

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Whitney, also Mr. and Mrs. Olla Dudley, Claude Cushman and son Lloyd were at Taylor's Camp at Oquossoc Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Edgar Davis and Mrs. Leo Billings were at Bethel last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights, Christine, Clyde and Mary Ann Knights called to see Mrs. Robert Carter, at the Noyes Nursing Home at West Paris Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole called to see him in the evening.

Garry Yates visited over the

week-end with his great uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes.

Several from this community attended the Warner auction on the Gore Saturday.

Mrs. C. James Knights visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Sweetser, one day last week.

Willard Kluck of Greenville is visiting at Edgar Davis'.

Mrs. Mary Ann Knights visited one afternoon last week with Mrs. George Abbott.

Mrs. Everett Cole, daughter Lorraine, and Christine Knights were at Norway Monday.

Harland Abbott of Farmington is spending a short vacation at home before going to school at the University of Maine at Orono.

## SKILLINGTON

Elmer Stearns and family of Northwest Bethel and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Johnston and two children were in Cornish Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parrel Toher of Providence, R. I., spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marshall and family.

Mrs. John Wight was in Berlin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marshall were in Farmington Monday.

Harvey Sweetser spent Sunday with his sister in Groveton, N. H.

Mrs. Walter Brown spent Thursday with Mrs. Sophie Conner at West Bethel.

## GREENWOOD CITY

School closed on Friday with a picnic at the Littlefield beach at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gardner at South Paris.

Mrs. Clyde Morgan spent the week end with Mrs. Alton Luxton at Bethel.

Mrs. Wilbur Yates and Mrs. Roland Hayes attended the graduation exercises at Bryant Pond on Tuesday.

Clyde Morgan was on a fishing trip to Moose Lake over the week end, returning on Monday.

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## NORTH NEWRY

**Mrs. L. E. Wight, Correspondent**

Richard Hunter of New York, who is visiting at the home of P. W. Wight, and Paul Wight spent Sunday and Monday at Eustis with Willard A. Wight and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight and Miss Carrie Wight attended the graduation exercises at Gorham State Teachers College Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall and Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. Rena Foster, of Bangor, were at Eustis with Willard A. Wight and family.

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